

PATENT

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In Re Application of) FOR: GENETIC COMPUTING USING
Terence Tai-Li Hwa) COMBINATORIAL TRANSCRIPTION
) CONTROL
Serial No.: 10/537,950)
Filing Date: June 8, 2005) Group Art Unit: 1636
)
) Examiner: Jennifer Ann Dunston

RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT

MAIL STOP AMENDMENT
Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Attention: Examiner

Dear Sir:

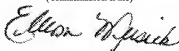
This is in response to the Restriction Requirement dated October 22, 2007. Being filed herewith is a petition for a one month extension of time. Applicants provisionally elects the OR function with traverse for reasons described in the following remarks.

Remarks begin on page 2 of this paper.

I hereby certify that this correspondence is being submitted to the USPTO via EFS web on:

December 21, 2007

(Transmission Date)



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